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Appl. No. 09/996,555
Att. Docket No. 8341
Amtd. dated 18 January 2005
Reply to Notice of Allowance of 6 January 2005
Customer No. 27752

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/996,555
Applicant(s) : Gregory Paul DITTMAR, et al.
Filed : 15 November 2001
Title : Pharmaceutical Dosage Form With Multiple Coatings for
Reduced Impact of Coating Fractures
TC/A.U. : 1615
Examiner : Blessing M. FUBARA
Conf. No. : 2834
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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE, UNDER 37 CFR §1.312

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks which are responsive to the Notice of Allowance, dated 6 January 2005, and reconsider the application. This Amendment is timely filed as it is filed before payment of the issue fee, which is due on 6 April 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.